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# SilverLining

Nevada Talking Book Services

## Eligibility

Persons unable to read or use print materials as a result of a temporary or permanent visual or physical limitation.

## Talking Books

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## Hours

Monday-Friday  
8:00 a.m.— 5:00 p.m.  
Closed State  
holidays

## More Audio Magazines Available Via Subscription

Eleven audio magazines produced by network libraries and previously available only for download via the Braille and Audio Reading Download (BARD) have been added to the Magazine on Cartridge (MOC) program for patrons who wish to subscribe. All magazines must be returned to the producer in the case they arrive in.

These network-produced magazines meet NLS quality standards and will enrich the MOC program by giving patrons more local and national-interest reading options.

Please call us to subscribe to any of these titles.

The magazines available and their frequency are:

- *AARP The Magazine (bimonthly) and AARP Bulletin (10 issues/year). These will be bundled as a single subscription.*
- *O, The Oprah Magazine (monthly)*
- *Rolling Stone (biweekly)*
- *Audubon (bimonthly)*
- *Cowboys and Indians (monthly)*
- *Humpty Dumpty (bimonthly)*
- *Missouri Conservationist (monthly)*
- *National Geographic Traveler (monthly)*
- *Oklahoma Today (bimonthly)*
- *Playboy (monthly)*
- *Seventeen (monthly)*
- *Smithsonian (monthly)*
- *Southern Living (monthly)*
- *Vital Speeches of the Day (monthly)*

## Cassette Circulation Changing

As the digital collection has increased in sufficient numbers and demand for cassette books has decreased, we will stop automatically sending books on cassette as of December 31, 2016. If you want to read a book that is only available on cassette, you will need to communicate with us regarding borrowing the title through interlibrary loan.

We are not recalling cassette players at this time though if you have a cassette player and you are not using it, you may return it to us at any time. In most cases, we can increase your digital books to compensate for the number of cassette books you have been receiving. We have mailing boxes for returning the cassette players; let us know if you need one.

## Accessing Levels of Navigation Within the Digital Players

### Using the Standard player:

To search through the navigation points within the book, press and hold the Rewind or Fast Forward buttons. Each beep allows navigation to the desired positions forward or backward by 20 seconds, 1 minute, 5 minutes, 15 minutes, 30 minutes and chapter or story. When reaching the navigation point desired, release the Fast Forward or Rewind button to play from that point forward. Do be aware that not all books have the same navigation points.

### Using the Advanced player:

Use the Menu button directly below the player's speaker to select the type of navigation point you would like to search by (chapter, phrase, or bookmark). Once you have selected the desired navigation point, use the Previous and Next buttons to the left and right of the Menu button to move between navigation points.

The advanced player is the best player to have for books that are being used for study or research such as the Bible and textbooks. This player provides easier navigation and the ability to add bookmarks. Use the Menu button to navigate to the desired Testament, Book, Chapter, Phrase and Bookmark. Bookmarks are added and removed simply by pressing the Mark button. If you need to switch to an advanced player, please call to request one.

**New Nevada Titles*****Grind*****DBC00640 5 hours 9 minutes**

by Mark Maynard  
narrated by Millie Solley

Eight vaguely linked short stories of humanity, heartbreak and grace. These stories, which take place in Reno, expose the soul of the city beyond the expected superficial persona of a gambling town. Strong language and some descriptions of sex. Award winner. Contains some violence. 2012

***I shot a man in Reno*****DBC04784 5 hours 19 minutes**

by Caleb Cage  
narrated by Shellee Martin-Snyder

This story looks at the history and legacy of country music legend, Johnny Cash's most famous line and how it related to his life at the time. 2010

***Between grass and sky:  
where I live and work*****DBC04783 9 hours 47 minutes**

by Linda Hasselstrom  
narrated by Millie Solley

As the owner of a cattle ranch in the western side of South Dakota, Hasselstrom relates the rancher's hard work and pride through a series of essays. She knows the role of responsible ranching as one who nurtures a healthy rural ecosystem. Some strong language. 2002

***Bombast: spinning atoms in  
the desert*****DBC00648 10 hours 23 minutes**

by Michon Mackendon  
narrated by Stanley Marshall

Nevada entered the nuclear age in the 1950s when the first atomic bomb was detonated northwest of Las Vegas now known as the Nevada Test Site. Bombast defines the relationships between the nuclear industry, governmental agencies, scientists, military men, and journalists. It also tells of radiological testing that was performed on animals during that time. 2010

***Casino women: courage in  
unexpected places*****DBC04753 8 hours**

by Susan Kerr Chandler & Jill B. Jones

narrated by Lila Halpern

A bibliography of women working in the gaming industry from maids to the vice president. These women fall into one of two groups, those who are union activists and those who are not. The reader will get to know a range of workers intimately as they share personal and touching stories of their pasts and ongoing struggles and hardships. 2011

### Audible Prescription Labels

CVS, Wal-Mart and Walgreens pharmacies now offer prescription reading software for the blind, decreasing the need for someone else to help with this important task.

Walgreens offers a device called the Talking Pill Reminder at all retail locations. This is free to blind and visually impaired customers. The device recites the label information and features a reminder alarm.

CVS and Wal-Mart offer ScripTalk talking prescriptions software to their customers. Wal-Mart offers it for mail order and at local pharmacies. CVS offers this through its online pharmacy home delivery only.

The ScripTalk prescription has a electronic chip embedded in the label that allows the software to read the prescription's instructions and information. Place it on a ScripTalk station, press a button and a voice recites all the information on the label.

Visually impaired persons can get a free ScripTalk station by calling 1-855-773-2579.

Visually impaired Walmart customers whose store does not offer ScripTalk can contact Walmart at 1-888-227-3403 to request the ScripTalk containers at their store.

**This newsletter is available in alternative formats upon request.**

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